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REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing and examination of the subject application are respectfully requested.

The foregoing amendments are made to place the claims in the preferred U.S. format and to remove multiple claim dependencies. No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

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Marked-up Claims -

1. (Amended) Device for storing and transporting live fish, [characterized in] comprising a fish bag [(1) being] comprising netting equipped at both ends with bag rings [(3)], and wherein at [said ends] each end there being arranged a second netting [(4)] with purse lines [(5,6)].

2. (Amended) Device for storing and transporting live fish according to claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein several fish bags [(1)] are coupled together through locking rings [(7)].

3. (Amended) Device for storing and transporting live fish according to [any of the preceding claims] claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein at one end of the fish bag [(1,1')] there are located towing lines [(8)].

4. (Amended) Device for storing and transporting live fish according to claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein there is applied at least one brace [(9)] to the fish bag [(1,1')].

5. (Amended) Device for transporting and storing live fish according to claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein around the fish bag [(1)] there is located a first netting [(2)].